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SUBJ: FMS COLLECTIONS

- 1. MAAG LIMA HAS RECEIVED A COPY OF A TELEGRAM DATED JAN 10 FROM THE DOD CENTRAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE (SAAC), LOWRY AFB, DENVER, SENT TO PERUVIAN EMBASSY, WASHINGTON (COPY TO DOD BUT NOT SECSTATE) ADVISING GOP THAT IT IS BEHIND ON WHAT IT TERMS FMS PAYMENTS DUE TO USG. SAAC STATES PERU TRUST FUND NOW AMOUNTS TO ONLY \$150,000 AND THAT PAYMENTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$20 MILLION (\$18.8 TO U.S. NAVY, \$1.4 MILLION TO USAF, REMAINDER TO USA) DUE DEC 15, 1977, BUT THAT ONLY \$1.2 MILLION RECEIVED. NOTING THAT "THE NEED FOR PROMPT PAYMENT CANNOT BE OVEREMPHASIZED," SAAC MESSAGE REQUESTS EXPEDITIOUS PAYMENT AND INDICATION OF WHEN IT WILL BE FORTHCOMING, ADDING THAT "AMOUNTS UNPAID AS OF DEC 15, 1977, WILL BE THE SUBJECT TO INTEREST ASSESSMENT."
- 2. COMMENT: WE NOTE IN STATE 3579 THAT GOP'S FMS DEBT FOR CY 1978 IS EXTIMATED AT \$11.8 MILLION. APPRECIATE CLARIFICATION AS TO WHAT THE SAAC BILL FOR \$20 MILLION ENTAILS (FMS CREDIT PAYMENTS, CASH SALES? AND VERIFICATION OF AMOUNT. SHLAUDEMAN

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